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SUBJECT: PROPERTY CASES

REF: (A) BUCHAREST 4086, (B) STATE A-6220, (C) STATE 260633,
(D) DELICEANU-PERKINS LETTER OF JUNE 18

1. IN ACCORDANCE WITH UNDERSTANDING WITH MFT (PARA 5, REF A), CONSOFFS PERKINS AND WILLIAMS VISITED DIRECTOR NICOLESCU AND MESSRS TEMPEA AND MIHALCA OF THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE ON JULY 15. VISIT SERVED, AS WE HAD HOPED, TO CONFIRM DIRECT LINE OF COMMUNICATION BETWEEN EMBASSY AND MINISTRY ON INDIVIDUAL PROPERTY CASES. AS FORESEEN, EMBASSY SPECIFICALLY RAISED TWO SPECIFIC CASES OF ELENA E. DELICEANU AND NICK DRAMBAREAN.

2. NICOLESCU AND HIS COLLEAGUES ACCEPTED EMBASSY PROPOSAL TO DISCUSS PROPERTY CASES ON ONE-BY-ONE BASIS IN ORDER TO RESOLVE OUTSTANDING PROBLEMS.

3. NICOLESCU INFORMED CONSOFFS THAT MR. DRAMBAREAN HAS ALREADY ACCEPTED A SETTLEMENT ON HIS PROPERTY CASE. DRAMBAREAN, ACCORDING TO NICOLESCU, GAVE HIS COUSIN (NAME UNKNOWN) A POWER OF ATTORNEY TO ACCEPT SETTLEMENT FOR HIM. COUSIN HAS ALREADY DONE SO. EMBASSY SUGGESTS DEPARTMENT CONTACT DRAMBAREAN TO VERIFY STATEMENT.

4. ON DELICEANU'S CASE, NICOLESCU MAINTAINED CLAIM HAD
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ALSO BEEN SETTLED, AND 40,000 LEI DEPOSITED IN LOCAL HOME

SAVING AND LOAN ACCOUNT (CEC) IN DELICEANU'S NAME. REPORTEDLY SHE HAS ONLY TO CLAIM MONEY. CONSOFF PERKINS POINTED OUT THAT DEPUTY PM PATAN'S UNDERSTANDING WITH AMBASSADOR BARNES (REFTEL B) THAT AMERICAN CITIZENS WOULD NOT NECESSARILY BE LIMITED TO LEGAL AMOUNT AVAILABLE TO ROMANIAN CITIZENS; NICOLESCU MADE NO COMMENT. CONSOFF PERKINS THEN WARNED THAT IF MRS. DELICEANU WERE NOT SATISFIED WITH THIS AMOUNT, EMBASSY WOULD BE OBLIGED TO MAKE REPRESENTATION ON HER BEHALF. NICOLESCU DID NOT CLOSE DOOR ON FURTHER DISCUSSION ABOUT MATTER, BUT REQUESTED EMBASSY FIRST CONTACT MRS. DELICEANU TO SEE IF SHE WERE SATISFIED WITH ABOVE SETTLEMENT. NICOLESCU THEN STRESSED THAT IN SPITE OF FACT THAT PROPERTY WAS SMALL AND MANY REPAIRS HAD TO BE DONE BY GOVERNMENT BEFORE IT WAS LIVABLE, MRS. DELICEANU HAD BEEN GIVEN HIGHEST VALUATION WITH REGARD TO THE LAW.

5. ACTION REQUESTED: PLEASE CONTACT MRS. DELICEANU AND INFORM HSRE OF SETTLEMENT AND THE AMOUNT. IF MRS. DELICEANU OR THE DEPARTMENT FEELS THAT THIS SETTLEMENT DOES NOT MEET TERMS OF PATAN AGREEMENT, AND MRS. DELICEANU CAN PROVIDE POSITIVE PROOF OF HIGHER PRIOR VALUATION OF HER PROPERTY, PLEASE SO ADVISE AND REPRESENTATION WILL BE MADE ON HER BEHALF.
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